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REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

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VALUATION OF THE TOWN APRIL 1, 1912

231 polls,	$23,100 00
Real estate,	501,404 00
317 horses,	37,040 00
34 oxen,	2,914 00
421 cows,	18,078 00
152 neat,	4,474 00
262 sheep,	1,273 00
39 hogs,	540 00
Fowls,	416 00
Lumber, logs and wood,	804 00
Vehicles, including automobiles,	5,550 00
Stock in Banks and other corporations in this State,	3,500 00
Stock in corporations out of the State,	1,000 00
Money on hand and at interest,	11,386 00
Stock in trade,	37,031 00
Mills and machinery,	17,950 00
Valuation for taxations,	$666,460 00
Soldiers' exemptions,	$12,130 00
Total valuation of towns,	$678,590 00

Rate of taxations, $1.38 on $100,

AMOUNT OF TAX REQUIRED BY LAW AND VOTE OF TOWN

State tax,	$1480 00
County tax,	1318 39
School tax,	2,400 00
Salaries of school officers,	125 00
School supplies,	100 00
Repairing school buildings,	350 00
Town charges,	1 00
Highways and bridges,	2,600 00
Lighting streets in Alstead village,	300 00
Memorial day,	50 00
Fire protection,	300 00
Public library,	100 00
Kingsbury fund, interest op.,	36 36
Percentage,	72 27
	$9,233 02

ORDERS DRAWN TO PAY TOWN OFFICERS

James Davis, services selectman, 1911,	$115 00
Herbert W. Greene, services selectman, 1911,	100 00
Martin L. Richardson ,services selectman, 1911,	90 00
George P. Kingsbury, services election officer,	2 00
Charles E. Blanchard, services election officer,	2 00
W. F. Gilman, services election officer,	2 00
John H. Allen, services election officer,	2 00
Frank Dewing, services as auditor, 1912,	4 00
John N. Hodgkins, digging grave,	5 00
C. M. Dodge, services as constable,	6 00
C. E. Blanchard, services as police, July 3d and 4th,	2 00
C. E. Blanchard, services as election officer at primary and biennial election,	4 00
Willobe F. Gilman, services as election officer at primary and biennial election,	4 00
John H. Allen, services as election officer, at primary and biennial election,	4 00
C. F. Pierce, services as election officer, primary,	2 00
G. P. Kingsbury, services as election officer, biennial election,	2 00
G. H. Foss, services as supervisor, 1912,	15 00
F. R. Kingsbury, services as supervisor, 1912,	15 00
J. P. Kemp, services as supervisor, 1912,	15 00
F. J. Marvin, services as town treasurer, 1912,	45 00

C. J. Newell, services as town auditor, 1912,	2 50
H. C. Metcalf, services as town clerk, 1912,	30 00
C. L. Lindsley, services as moderator, March, meeting, primary and biennial election,	12 00
E. B. Burnell, services as police, July 3d and 4th,	2 00
F. B. Trow, services as sexton, digging graves, 1912,	36 00
F. J. Marvin, janitor Town hall,	35 00
John H. Allen, services as police and town constable, and cash paid out, 1912,	53 41
F. J. Marvin, services as overseer of poor, and cash paid out, 1912,	25 00
W. W. Dinsmore, collecting taxes, 1912,	85 00
R. M. Brackett, services as police, July 3d and 4th,	2 00
	$718 91

ORDERS DRAWN TO PAY ORDINARY TOWN CHARGES

Martin L. Richardson, bounty on 92 hedgehog heads,	$18 40
Herbert W. Green, bounty on 49 hedgehog heads,	9 80
R. M. Brackett, cash paid for labor and material from Feb. 15, to March 12, 1912,	48 20
Sentinel Printing Co., printing town reports for 1911,	36 00
J. P. Milzer, 300 dog license blanks,	1 50
W. S. Hancock Post, for Memorial day,	50 00
George A. Gordon, two fares to Concord, on account of tax commission,	7 16
Herbert W. Green, bounty on 38 hedgehogs heads,	7 60
George A. Gordon, bounty on 27 hedgehog heads,	5 40
Victor Safe & Lock Co., safe,	110 00
F. J. Marvin, ball on dog licenses, 1911,	54 45
Herbert W. Greene, 39 days work re-appraising real estate,	97 50
George A. Gordon, 39 days work re-appraising real estate,	97 50
Martin L. Richardson, 38 days work, re-appraising real estate,	95 00
Herbert W. Greene, cash paid out for assistance in finding bounds,	6 90
Martin L. Richardson, cash paid out for 35 hedgehog heads,	7 00
Herbert W. Green, cash paid out for 5 hedgehog heads,	1 00
Charles E. Ellis, wire fencing for west cemetery,	6 10
Flora Sheahan, land damage and gravel for State road, 1911,	43 28

Field & Lawrence, cement for Paige & Goodwin bridges,	206 50
Fred B. Trow, labor and cash paid for labor at Alstead Center cemetery,	50 00
George F. Lewis, cash paid out for freight on safe and drawing same,	15 65
John Proctor, Walpole, tax on Emma Phillips' farm,	2 14
Mrs. Albert Clough, boarding Emma Phillips, 14 weeks,	56 00
George F. Lewis, drawing cement to Paige & Goodwin bridges,	45 00
W. M. Ware, hens killed by dogs,	37 30
C. L. Lindsley, damage to sheep and killed by dogs,	25 00
Lucy W. Osborne, hens killed by dogs,	4 00
Howard Hardware Co., fire engine,	200 00
Fred B. Trow, cash paid for painting hearse,	25 00
Herbert W. Greene, cash paid ,19 hedgehog heads,	3 80
George A. Gordon, cash paid, 33 hedgehog heads,	6 60
Martin L. Richardson, cash paid, 35 hedgehog heads,	7 00
John H. Allen, sheep killed and damaged by dogs,	10 50
John H. Allen, town's proportion maintaining State road,	10 00
C. E. Blanchard, care of town clock, and cash paid out from Feb. 15, 1912 to Feb. 15, 1913,	13 30
H. C. Metcalf, recording births, deaths and marriages,	5 40
H. C. Metcalf, express, postage and stationery,	3 85
Howard Hardware Co., 12 badges, fire extinguisher and 27 extra charges,	100 00
C. L. Lindsley, sheep killed by dogs,	4 00
E. M. Smith, insurance on Town hall,	30 00
Edson C. Eastman,	3 92
W. H. Spalter, books and stationery,	6 33
E. M. Smith, retaining fee,	10 00
E. M. Smith, making deed, insurance and cash for recording deeds on Phillips property,	7 65
F. B. Trow, labor and cash paid for labor, as per wills,	42 00
F. B. Trow, services as superintendent of cemeteries,	46 50
B. T. Mousley, medical attendance, Emma Phillips,	18 50
G. H. Foss, returning births and deaths,	1 00
John B. Blood, work in Slade cemetery,	12 00
F. J. Marvin, treasurer library trustees,	100 00
B. T. Mousley, returning births and deaths,	4 75
B. T. Mousley, services Board of Health and cash	

paid out,	15 65
George F. Lewis, freight and cash paid out,	1 36
John H. Hodgkins, digging four graves,	10 00
J. A. Rawson, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1913,	1 50
H. J. Pratt, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1913,	2 00
Adam Griskie, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1913,	3 00
W. O. Blake, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1913,	2 00
H. A. Slade, labor and cash paid for labor and material, used in the month of March, April and May,	516 26
H. A. Slade, labor and cash paid for labor and material used in the months of June and July,	933 87
H. A. Slade, labor and cash paid for labor and material in the months of August, September, October, November, December, January, to Feb. 15, 1913,	604 73
Mrs. Albert Clough, balance of board, Emma Phillips, to Feb. 10, 1913,	80 00
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, county tax,	1,318 39
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, fire precinct, lighting streets,	300 00
F. J. Marvin, overseer of poor, support town paupers to Feb. 15, 1913,	185 03
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, state tax,	1,480 00
F. J. Marvin, overseer of poor, county paupers claims from Feb. 15, 1912 to Feb. 15, 1913,	428 86
F. J. Marvin, school treasurer, balance Wells fund for schools,	15 40
Willard R. Hale, labor and cash paid for labor in East Alstead cemetery as per wills,	23 00
Fall Mountain Electric Light & Power Co., lighting Town hall,	56 15
F. J. Marvin, goods and cash paid out for Emma Phillips,	4 68
George E. Pratt, watering, 18 months, to Feb. 15, 1913,	3 00
R. B. Carter, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1913,	2 00
C. W. Read, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1913,	3 00

W. W. Dinsmore, abatement taxes,1912,

Townsend Brown,	1 38
Frank Balkos,	1 38
Arthur G. Bedell,	1 38
Joseph Cloutier,	1 38
Frank Daly,	1 38
John Evilisky,	1 38
Ralph Kennish,	1 38
John Kroceom,	1 38
Frank Kennish,	1 38
Merrill J. Kidder,	1 38

Charles Lapinskey,	1 38
Charles Lufkins,	1 62
Charles Moham,	1 38
Almon B. Lufkins,	1 62
John Marks,	1 38
Fred Nutting,	1 38
Tony Phalasky,	1 38
Emma Phillips,	8 97
Sam Siniscorky,	1 38
John Shick,	1 38
Joe Terisaish,	1 38
John A. Winter,	1 93
C. H. Gardner,	8 28
Arthur Putnam,	4 14
David Taggart,	1 38
G. B. Watson,	2 76
C. H. Blodgett,	2 70
Henry M. Hall,	2 07
Irwin E. Paige,	1 38
	$61 69
W. W. Dinsmore, abatement Lewis & Holmes, Precinct tax,	3 36
H. B. Chapin, teams for police and selectmen,	20 75
C. J. Newell, forest fire,	4 50
F. J. Marvin, literary fund,	94 52
F. J. Marvin, school treasurer, proportion school fund,	109 50
Isaac Craig, use watering trough to Feb. 15, 1913,	2 00
F. J. Marvin, supplies and repairs on Town hall,	18 75
H. W. Greene, joint fund State highway,	1,247 58
H. W. Greene, labor and cash paid for labor on Paige & Goodwin bridges,	390 55
John P. Kemp, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1913,	2 00
John P. Kemp, services Board of Health, 1911,	1 50
H. A. Slade, labor and cash paid for labor in November,	45 93
F. J. Marvin, error in State tax, 1911,	584 67
H. W. Greene, stationery, express and stamps,	7 50
Total orders drawn,	$11,120 07

RECEIPTS IN DETAIL

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$2,831 71
Received from cemetery trust funds,	85 40
Received from State forester,	4 07

by dogs,	37 30
Received from added tax,	5 01
Received from State, bounty on hedgehogs,	66 60
Received from Connecticut River bank, cash for note,	600 00
Received from Eleazer Porter, cash for note,	500 00
Received from H. A. Slade, for gravel,	2 00
Received from precinct treasurer, abatement on Lewis & Holmes tax,	3 36
Received from interest on taxes,	6 34
	$12,066 52

HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE ACCOUNT

Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$312 35
Amount voted by town,	1,727 00
Overdraft,	61 44
	$2,100 79
H. A. Slade, labor and cash paid for labor and material to Feb. 15, 1913,	$2,100 79

STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Amount voted by town,	$873 00
State's contribution,	349 20
Overdraft,	107 88
	$1,330 08
H. W. Greene, labor ad cash paid for labor and material to Feb. 15, 1913,	$1,247 58
State's disbursements,	82 50
Received from license commissioners,	85 40
Received from rent on Grange hall,	40 00
Received from State railroad tax,	85
Received from State Savings Bank tax,	412 55
Received from proportion school fund,	109 50
Received from State literary fund,	94 52
Received from rent of Town hall,	80 00
Received from town clerk, dog licenses,	130 80
Received from W. S. Hancock post, rent on hall,	10 00
Received from State highway department,	266 70

Received from W. W. Dinsmore, collector, amount town warrant,	6,221 66
Received from county commissioners, to April 1, 1912,	257 75
Received from county commissioners, to Oct. 1, 1912,	215 00
Received from Bayard T. Mousley, for hens killed	
	$1,330 08

COUNTY PAUPER ACCOUNT

F. J. Marvin, overseer of poor, support county paupers from Feb. 15, 1912 to Feb. 15, 1913,	$428 86
Balance due from county Feb. 15, 1912,	205 86
	$634 72
Total receipts from county to Oct. 1, 1912,	$472 75
Balance due from county Feb. 15, 1913,	161 97
	$634 72

TOWN PAUPER ACCOUNT

Paid F. J. Marvin, overseer of poor, support of Charles F. Horton family,	
F. J. Marvin, goods,	$58 65
B. T. Mousley, medical service,	41 25
Lindsley & Stayton, casket for Charles F. Horton,	20 00
H. P. Abbott, meat for Horton family,	7 40
H. P. Abbott, meat for Horton family,	14 13
A. H. Fuller, medicine for Horton family,	8 20
M. E. Knight, milk for Horton family,	8 90
G. E. Porter, wood for Horton family,	16 50
C. J. Newell, wood for Horton family,	3 00
H. B. Chapin, feeding 15 tramps,	4 00
F. J. Marvin, crackers and cheese to 12 tramps,	3 00
	$185 03

BOARD OF HEALTH ACCOUNT

B. T. Mousley, M. D., services and drugs used in fumigating Horton house,	$4 15
B. T. Mousley, M. D., investigating hedgehog case	

complaint of Mrs. Baine,	3 00
B. T. Mousley, investigating Ross place complaint of Gen. A. Lakin,	2 00
B. T. Mousley, investigating school in Forristall district, complaint of Miss Straw, teacher,	1 50
B. T. Mousley, drugs and fumigating Forristall school house,	1 50
B. T. Mousley, posting six quarantine cards,	1 50
B. T. Mousley, cash paid George A. Moses, services Board of Health,	2 00
	$15 65
Order to Dr. B. T. Mousley,	$15 65

REPAIR OF CEMETERIES

Fred B. Trow, labor and cash paid for labor at Alstead Center cemetery,	$50 00
Fred B. Trow, labor and cash paid for labor and material to Feb. 15, 1913,	46 50
	$96 50
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$73 55
Gift for improvement of North cemetery at East Alstead	
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$92 76
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1913,	92 76

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS ACCOUNT

Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$63 89
Cash received on dividends July 1, 1912,	85 40
	$149 29
F. B. Trow, labor and cash paid for labor and material as per wills, to Feb. 15, 1913,	$42 00
Willard R. Hale, labor and cash paid for labor in East Alstead cemetery as per wills,	23 00
Paid scrool treasurer balance of Mary M. Wells fund,	15 40
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1913,	68 89
	$149 29

BRIDGES NEAR H. E. PAIGE'S

H. W. Green. labor and cash paid on bridges,	$390 55
Field & Lawrence, cement on bridge,	206 50
	$597 05
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$185 90
Overdraft,	$411 15

Sheep killed, maimed or worried by dogs,

Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$91 75
Cash received from town clerk, dog licenses,	130 80
Cash received from B. T. Mousley, hens killed by dogs,	37 30
	$259 85
Paid C. L. Lindsley, sheep killed by dogs,	$29 00
Paid John H. Allen, sheep killed by dogs,	10 50
Paid W. M. Ware, hens killed by dogs,	37 30
Paid Lucy W. Osborne, hens killed by dogs,	4 00
Paid F. J. Marvin, school treasurer,	54 45
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1913,	124 60
	$259 85

CONSTABLE AND POLICE REPORT

John H. Allen, services police, July 3d and 4th, constable and cash paid out 1912, to Feb. 15, 1913,	$53 41
C. M. Dodge, services constable, 1912,	6 00
C. E. Blanchard, services police, July 3d and 4th, 1912,	2 00
E. G. Burnell, services police, July 3d and 4th, 1912	2 00
R. M. Brackett, services police, July 3d and 4th, 1912,	2 00
	$65 41

SELECTMEN'S REPORT ON EMMA PHILLIPS ACCOUNT

Emma Phillips having deeded her farm to the town of Alstead for her maintenance, the Selectmen would submit the following report:

Estimated value of farm,	$1,000 00

Paid for board, medical attendance and supplies to Feb. 10, 1913,	159 18
	$840 82

TOTAL RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1912,	$2,831 71
Received during the year,	9,234 81
	$12,066 52

DISBURSEMENTS

Total orders drawn,	$11,120 07
Connecticut River National Bank, note and interest,	602 70
Eleazer Porter, note and interest,	508 12
	$12,230 89
Overdraft,	164 37
	$12,066 52

LIABILITIES

Due on cemetery trust funds,	$68 89
Due on Kingsbury fund,	606 00
Due on improvement gift to cemetery at East Alstead,	92 76
Due on bridge near Porter place,	10 53
Due on sheep killed, maimed and worried by dogs,	87 30
Emma Phillips, balance on farm,	838 82
Overdraft,	164 52
	$1,908 12

ASSETS

Due from bridge petitioners,	$13 27
Due from County commissioners, pauper claims to Feb. 15, 1913,	161 97
Emma Phillips farm,	1,000 00
Amount of liabilities over assets,	732 88
	$1,908 12

REPORT OF SELECTMEN ON CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Principal deposited in Savings Bank at Walpole,	
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$63 89
Dividends received to July 1, 1912,	85 40
	$149 29

Cash paid for labor on Holbrook lot and other portions of the yard,	$8 00
Cash paid for labor on Mary M. Wells lot,	5 00
Cash paid school treasurer, balance of interest on Mary M. Wells fund,	15 40
Cash paid for labor on Kimball lot and other portions of the yard,	8 00
Cash paid for labor on Francis Gibson lot,	4 00
Cash paid for labor on Abbie Lovell lot,	8 00
Cash paid for labor on Ellen Porter lot,	4 00
Cash paid for labor on S. K. Elwell lot,	4 00
Cash paid for labor on Paschal Banks lot,	4 00
Cash paid for labor on Bullard & Burge lot,	2 00
Cash paid for labor on Richardson lot, East Alstead,	3 00
Cash paid, Martha A. Brown lot, and other portions of yard,	15 00
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1913,	68 89
	$149 29

SELECTMEN'S REPORT ON KIMBALL FUND

To library trustees by vote of town at annual meeting March 12, 1912

ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR 1913

State tax,	$1,500 00
County tax,	1,320 00
Schools,	2,500 00
Roads and bridges,	2,600 00
Town charges,	1,000 00

Respectfully Submitted,

MARTIN L. RICHARDSON,
HERBERT W. GREENE,
GEORGE A. GORDON,
Selectmen of Alstead

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen of the town of Alstead and find the same correctly cast and balanced with proper vouchers therefor.

FRANK DEWING,
C. J. NEWELL,
Auditors of Alstead.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF WARREN FUND

Amount of interest of Stowe, Vt., bond,	$160 00
Amount of interest of Berlin, N. H., bond,	4 50
Amount of interest on Amoskeag Savings Bank book, N. 100498, principal $500,	20 18
Amount of interest on Walpole Savings Banks book, No. 2083, interest,	26 48
	$211 16

Cash paid J. S. Prouty for use of safe deposit vault, and other expenses,	$4 67
Cash paid J. F. Dickey, expenses to Keene for bond,	1 45
Cash paid John Good, painting fence on Warren lot,	11 85
Cash paid F. J. Marvin, for paint stock,	7 43
Cash paid Treasurer of town school district,	185 76
	$211 16

MARTIN L. RICHARDSON,
M. E. KNIGHT,
JOHN F. DICKEY,
Trustees of Warren fund.

ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

For Year ending February 15, 1913

APRIL

Jasper Smith, labor,	$4 55
William Moultrip, labor,	3 50
David Clay, labor,	1 75
L. Demerse, labor,	5 75
H. A. Slade, labor,	23 50
Will Demerse, labor,	12 00
Milan Green, labor,	2 00
John Good, labor,	9 50
Jasper Smith, labor,	11 37
L. Demerse, labor,	11 37
William Moultrip, labor,	1 75
H. A. Slade, team, man and self,	41 00
Mr. Bolio, labor,	8 75

MAY

Jasper Smith, labor,	$10 50
L. Demerse, labor,	10 50
C. Bolio, labor,	10 50
H. A. Slade, labor, team, man and self,	39 00
George S. Burroughs & Co., labor,	20 00
George Lewis. labor with team,	28 00
George Lewis, labor with team,	4 00
H. C. Metcalf, padlock, etc.,	47
Good Roads Machine Co., repairs,	4 00
George Bolio, labor,	6 54
Frank Bolio, labor,	6 54
Jasper Smith, labor,	6 54
L. Demerse, labor,	4 79
H. A. Slade, labor,	10 00
Burroughs Bros., labor with team,	45 62
G. W. Shattuck, labor,	4 79
George Savory, 153 loads gravel,	7 65
Ray Jefts, turning water,	1 00
John Reardon, labor,	10 00
John Reardon, labor,	6 00
Jasper Smith, labor,	10 06

George Young, labor,	1 75
George Bolio, labor,	8 75
Frank Bolio, labor,	10 06
H. A. Slade, labor,	15 00
L. Demerse, labor,	8 75
George Burroughs, with team,	75 00
G. W. Shattuck, labor,	10 06
John H. Dickey, oil for machine,	60
Matt. Abbott, labor,	3 00

JUNE

Jasper Smith, labor,	$5 25
Frank Bolio, labor,	5 25
George Bolio & Son, labor,	13 44
Mr. Young, labor,	4 37
H. A. Slade, team, self and man,	21 25
Jasper Smith, labor,	9 63
J. G. Smith, labor and fixing plough,	4 75
Mr. Young, labor,	6 13
George Bolio & Son,	16 50
Fred Pratt, labor,	14 00
Frank Bolio, labor,	9 63
Fred Pratt,	7 61
Jasper Smith, labor,	10 50
Joseph Wear, labor,	8 75
Walter Wilson, labor,	8 75
Willie Wilson, labor,	10 50
Mr. Young, labor,	8 75
George Bolio & Son, labor,	18 00
Frank Bolio, labor,	10 50
H. A. Slade, labor,	38 75
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	28 06
L. C. Forrestall, lumber and work,	118 73
Good roads Machine Co., scraper repairs,	1 20
A. J. Shepard, repairing bridges,	3 00
John Croto, dynamite,	17 32
John Smith, labor,	8 00
L. Demerse, labor,	17 50
Burrough Bros., labor with team,	143 75
George Young, labor,	10 50
George Bolio &Son, labor,	15 00
Jasper Smith, labor,	10 50
Willie Wilson, labor,	10 50
Walter Wilson, labor,	10 50
Charles Burroughs, labor,	15 75

Frank Bolio, labor,	5 25
H. A. Slade, labor,	15 00
L. P. Forrestall, labor,	24 00
L. Demerse, labor,	10 50
Burroughs Bros., labor with team,	68 75
Jene Hodgkins, labor,	20 00
Jasper Smith, labor,	8 75
Willie Wilson, labor,	7 00
Walter Wilson,	8 75
Jene Hodgkins, labor,	21 00
Frank Bolio, labor,	10 50
L. Demerse, labor,	7 00

JULY

John and Ben Reardon, labor,	$40 25
Charles Burroughs, labor,	7 00
Burroughs Bros., labor with team,	37 50

AUGUST

George Lakin, breaking roads and fixing bridges,	$12 00
H. A. Slade, labor, freight, axe and bolts,	20 75
Kent & Burroughs, fixing drills and scraper,	5 35
George Wilder, raking stone,	8 31
W. O. Blake, labor,	17 35
C. J. Newell, plank,	52 94
George Shepard, labor,	5 25
George Young, labor,	6 13
Mr. Almsba, labor,	3 50
Henry Clough, labor,	3 00
George Shepard, labor,	3 00
John Smith, labor,	4 00
H. A. Slade, cash paid out, labor, man, team and self,	53 13
Mr. Crotto and son, labor,	5 75
John H. Allen, breaking roads, turning water, cutting brush,	5 50
John Crotto, gravel,	1 50
Mr. Lazell, labor,	13 07
L. Demerse, labor,	8 75
H. A. Slade, labor and money paid out,	28 75

SEPTEMBER

George S. Wilson, picking stone,	$4 00
Fred Pratt, labor on bridge,	1 75
H. A. Slade, labor and cash paid out,	9 50
L. P. Forrestall, labor and plank, and repairs on	

plough,	36 91
H. A. Slade, labor, man, team and self,	17 25

OCTOBER

George Burroughs, labor,	$15 00
Fred Pratt, labor, fuse and caps,	5 00
H. A. Slade, labor, cash paid out, and plank,	12 29

NOVEMBER

C. J. Newell, labor and plank,	$31 90
H. A. Slade, labor,	2 50
Ray Jefts, labor,	3 00
H. Page, labor,	2 50
William Moultrip, labor on bridge,	95
Frank Bolio, labor on bridge,	95
George Kenney, labor,	4 37
Fred Pratt, labor,	1 75
Albert B. Reed, labor,	2 62

DECEMBER

W. O. Blake, labor,	$5 50
John Crotto, labor,	16 55
John Allen, labor on roads and bridge,	24 02
Fred Pratt, labor,	5 25
C. Dodge, labor and money paid out,	11 00
H. C. Metcalf, tile,	1 99
W. E. Crabtree, labor,	24 26
H. A. Slade, labor,	9 00
George Bolio, labor on bridge,	1 00
J. Axum, labor on bridge,	1 95
H. W. Green, labor on bridge,	3 67
John Kemp, labor,	1 50
H. C. Metcalf, tiling, etc.,	46 84
Harl Pratt, labor,	4 00
George E. Porter, fixing sluice, cutting brush,	5 25

JANUARY, 1913

George Lakin, work on roads and bridge,	$12 15
Henry Clough, labor on bridge,	50

FEBRUARY

L. P. Forrestall, labor,	$8 50
H. A. Slade, ploughing walks,	3 00
Kent & Burroughs, repairs, etc.,	17 33
George Bowen, plank,	29 20

F. J. Marvin,	2 45

Orders drawn on selectmen,	$2,100 79
Amount raised for highways and bridges,	1,727 00
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	312 35
Orders drawn by H. A. Slade,	2,100 79
Overdrawn,	61 44

Respectfully Submitted,

H. A. SLADE,

Road Commissioner for the Town of Alstead.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR

TOWN PAUPERS

H. B. Chapin, keeping tramps,	$4 00
F. J. Marvin, feed for tramps,	3 00
Charles H. Horton, support, medical attendance and funeral expenses,	178 03
	$185 03

COUNTY PAUPERS

Sarah M. Wood, support Joanna C. Clark,	$161 00
Mrs. George Burroughs, support Samuel Willis,	108 00
Board, H. P. Marsh, medical attendance and funeral expense,	149 86
Dr. B. T. Mousley, medical attendance on Polander family at Naginansh,	10,00
	$428 86

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year ending Feb. 15, 1913

RECEIPTS

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$2,831 71
County pauper claims for April,	257 75
County pauper claims for October,	215 00
Cemetery trust funds,	85 40

Bounty on hedgehogs,	66 60
License commission,	85 40
Dog license,	130 80
Railroad tax,	85
Savings Bank tax,	412 55
Literary fund,	94 52
Proportion school fund,	109 50
Rent, G. A. R. hall,	10 00
Rent Grange hall,	40 00
Rent Town hall,	80 00
Added tax,	5 01
W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	6,221 66
State highway department,	266 70
Gravel sold,	2 00
Forest fires,	4 07
Abatement, Lewis & Holmes tax,	3 36
Damage to hens by dog,	37 30
Cash borrowed, E. Porter,	500 00
Cash borrowed Connecticut River National Bank,	600 00
Interest on taxes,	6 34
Overdraft,	104 37
	$12,230 89

EXPENDITURES

Orders of Selectmen,	$11,120 07
E. Porter, note and interest,	508 12
Connecticut River National Bank, note and interest,	602 70
	$12,230 89

F. J. MARVIN,

Town Treasurer of Alstead.

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of Alstead and find the same correctly cast and balanced with proper vouchers therefor.

FRANK DEWING
C. J. NEWELL,
Auditors of the Town of Alstead.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Henry C. Metcalf, town clerk, in account with dog licenses

Number of dogs as per invoice of selectmen,	71

Licenses on 70 male dogs, at $2.00,	$140 00
Licenses on 1 female dog, at $5.00,	5 00
Amount received,	$145 00
71 license fees at 20c each,	$14 20
Balance due town and deposited in treasury,	$130 80

ACCOUNT OF REGISTRATION FEES RECEIVED

C. J. Newell, fee for representative,	$2 00	
George Taylor, fee for representative,	2 00	
Edward A. Mitchell, fee for moderator,	1 00	
W. W. Dinsmore, fee for supervisor of check list,	1 00	
F. T. Kingsbury, fee for supervisor of check list,	1 00	
John P. Kemp, fee for supervisor of check list,	1 00	
Total,		$8 00
Amount deposited in town treasury,		$8 00

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY C. METCALF,
Town Clerk.

State of New Hampshire,
Cheshire, ss.

Personally appeared Henry C. Metcalf and made oath that the above statement by him signed is true. Before me,

BAYARD T. MOUSLEY,
Justice of the Peace.

Alstead, N. H., Feb. 10, 1913.

ALSTEAD VILLAGE PRECINCT REPORT

February 15, 1913

RECEIPTS

Cash from W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	$541 43	
Cash from town, money appropriated,	300 00	
Cash borrowed,	300 00	
		$1,141 43

EXPENDITURES

Fall Mountain Electric Light & Power Co., lighting streets,	$615 00
Installing lights at engine house,	7 19
Lighting engine house,	4 00
H. C. Metcalf,	12 00
J. F. Dickey, work on engine house,	75 00
Paid note and interest,	312 00
C. M. Dodge, labor,	2 00
Abatement on taxes,	3 36
Howard Hardware Co.,	9 20
F. J. Marvin, supplies,	3 50
Overdraft, 1912,	13 15
	$1,056 40
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1913,	$85 03
	$1,141 43

F. J. MARVIN,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

By vote of the town at the last annual town meeting the Edith Kimball fund was placed in the hands of the Library Trustees in accordance with Section 6, Chapter 118, Laws of New Hampshire of 1895, viz.,—"The Trustees elected by the

town shall have the entire custody and management of the free public library and all property of the town relating thereto, and all money raised or appropriated by the town for its support and maintenance, and all money or property that the town may receive by donation from any source, or by bequest in behalf of said free public library, shall be placed in the care and custody of the board of trustees, to be expended or retained by them for and in behalf of the town for the support and maintenance of its free public library, in accordance with the conditions of each or any donation or bequest accepted by the town."

The John G. Shedd trust fund, to the amount of $15,000, was invested as follows: Illinois Central Railroad, Chicago Northwestern railroad, First State Farmer's Society of Chicago.

The librarian, Miss Harriet Brown reports as follows:

Number of books now in the library,	3,806
Number of books bought during the year,	70
Number of books given during the year,	54
Number of borrowers,	502
Number of volumes circulated, fiction,	4,360
Total,	5,522
Magazines,	1,903
Number of readers,	1,382
Visitors,	527
Cash received from sale of magazines,	$ 25
Cash received from fines,	44
Cash received from sale of catalogues,	2 50
	$3 19
Expended for stamps, stationery, etc., as authorized by trustees,	2 20
	$ 99

HARRIET BROWN,
Librarian.

A catalogue of all the books has been made during the year and placed on sale at the library and at the store at East

Alstead, at ten cents per copy. Twenty-five copies have been sold at the two places.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED J. MARVIN, Chairman,
SARAH J. FISH, Secretary,
JOHN P. KEMP, Purchasing Agent,
C. J. NEWELL,
FRANK DEWING,
Mrs. LUCY LINSLEY,
Board of Trustees.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

To February 15, 1913, F. J. Marvin, treasurer

RECEIPTS

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1912,	$17 62
Cash from town,	100 00
Cash from J. G. Shedd trust fund,	873 00
Cash, water rent,	70 00
Cash, div. Fanny Carpenter fund,	38 18
	$1,098 80

EXPENDITURES

J. H. Byrnes, coal,	$83 42
Howard Hardware Co.,	90 31
G. H. Howard, janitor,	236 00
Harriett Brown, work on catalogues,	75 00
Harriett Brown, librarian,	275 00
Metus, part payment,	47 60
Catalogues,	72 00
J. P. Kemp, 1 book,	1 30
Lighting and repairs,	65 95
H. R. Metcalf,	26 95
Transportation book,	8 00
Granite State Magazines,	6 00
G. F. Lewis, drawing coal,	17 44
F. J. Marvin, fertilizer, express, and supplies,	10 22
John Wanamaker, books,	41 00
D. D. Cottrell, books,	38 50
	$1,094 69
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1913,	4 11
	$1,098 80

F. J. MARVIN,
Treasurer Library Trustees.

SUPPLEMENT TO CATALOGUE

FICTION

According to Maria.—Lane.	L24
Bassett.—Fallentyre.	T14
Bawbee Jock,—McLaren.	Ma22
Broad Highway.—Farnol.	F23
Carmichael.—North.	N81
Case of Richard Maynell—Ward.	W216c
Cavanagh, Forest Ranger.—Garland.	G18c
Christopher.—Pryce.	P95
Composer, The.—A. & E. Castle.	C27c
Day of Wrath—Jokai.	J62
Days of Auld Lang Syne.—Maclaren.	M22d
Dawn O'Hara.—Ferber.	F37
Delightful Dodd.—Flower.	F66
Denry, the Audacious.—Bennett.	Be43d
Doctor's Lass.—Booth.	B64d
Dragon's Blood.—Rideout.	Ri43
Eldest Son.—Marshall.	M35
Lighting Bishop.—Hopkins.	Hp77
Fly on the Wheel.—Thurston.	Ts42
Following the Star.—Barclay.	Ba23f
Grasshoppers, The—Dean.	D34
Greater Inclination.—Wharton.	W55g
Hearts Contending. —Schock.	Sch6
Helen with the High Hand.—Bennett.	Be43h
His Grace of Osmond.—Burnett.	B932g
History of Mr. Polly.—Wells.	W46
House in the Hedge.—Barbour.	Ba23
House of Serravalle.—Bagot.	B14s
House of the Wolfings.—Morris.	M83
In Kedar's Tent.—Merriman.	M55k
John Burt.—Adams.	Ad1
John Sherwood, Ironmaster.—Mitchell.	M692j
Legacy, The—Watt.	W34
Leonora.—Bennett.	Be43l
Manalive.—Chesterton.	C42
Marjery.—Benson.	B44m
Master Christopher.—De La Pasture.	De37m
Mr. Wycherly's Wards.—Harker.	Ha22m

Money Moon.—Farmol.	F23m
Patsey.—Stackpole.	Sta1
Peter and Jane.—Macnaughton.	M23
Pike County Ballads.—Hay.	Ha32
Postern Gate.—Barclay.	Ba23p
Pride of Tellfair.—Peake.	Pe31
Quaker Idylls.—Gardner.	G17
Quced.—Harrison.	Ha24
Raffles.—Horning.	Hn78
Scarlet Car.—Davis.	D292c
Secret Garden.—Burnett.	B932se
Sick-a-bed Lady & Other Stories.—Abbott.	Ab25s
Spanish Gold.—Birmingham.	B53
Stories.—Synge.	Sy7
Stories That End Well.—Thanet.	Th32s
Strawberry Handkerchief.—Barr.	B27s
Street That is Called Straight.—King.	Ki58s
Tale of a Lonely Parish.—Crawford.	C854t
Tante.—Sedgwick, Mary.	Se24
Tarquisara. 2 v.—Crawford.	C854ta
"Temporal Power."—Corelli.	Co81
Third Miss Wenderly.—Barnes-Grundy.	G92
When Woman Proposes.—Warner.	Wa24
Winning of Barbara Worth.—Wright.	W93w
Younger Set.—Chambers.	C35y
Witching Hour.—Thomas.	Th36

BIOGRAPHY

Austin, Mary. The Promised Land.	B An8
Three Brontes.—Sinclair.	B B78
Christopher Columbus, Story of—Moore.	B Co72
Lowell, Josephine Shaw.	B Lo95
Lyman, Anne Jean—Recollections of My Mother—Lesley.	B L98

LITERATURE

Address on War—Sumner.	S815w
Autobiography of an Elderly Woman.	El814
Excursions of an Evolutionist.—Fiske.	Fi814

TRAVEL

Belgium, Land of Art.—Griffis.	G914.93
Egyptian Days.—Marden.	M916.2
Gallant Little Wales.—Marks.	M914.29
Plays.—Strindberg.	S839.72
Plays. 2 v.—Synge.	Sy842

Poems.—Wardsworth.	W821
In the Shadow of Islam.—Vek-Brown.	Br914.96
Motoring in the Balkans.—Hutchinson.	H914.39
Pictures of Panama Canal, with impressions and notes.—Pennell.	P918.6
Panama, the Canal, Country and People.—Edwards.	E918.6
Panama—What It Is. What It Means.—Barrett.	B918.6
South American Impressions.—Bryce.	B918
Through Siberia.—Lansdell.	L915.7
Wanderings in Florence.—Lucas.	914.55
With the Indians in the Rockies.—Schultz.	S917.8

HISTORY

Popular History of England. 4 v.—Knight.	K942
Montcalm and Wolfe. 2 v.—Parkman.	P973.2m
Sunset of the Old Confederacy.—Schaff.	S973.7
Under the Old Flag. 2 v.—Wilson.	W973.7

MISCELLANEOUS

Boy Problem.—Forbush.	F331
Education by Plays and Games.—Johnson.	J372
Education in Religion and Morals.—Coe.	C377
First Principles.—Spencer.	113
Garden Story, The—Ellwanger.	635
Home Liibrary of Law. 6 v.—Bolles.	B347
Intellectual Development. 2 v.—Draper.	D150
Library of Valuable Knowledge. 24 v.	032
Myths and Legends of Our Own Land.—Skinner.	Sk398
Parlor Amusements.—Hoffman.	H793
Song of Life—Morley.	M570
Transactions of Am. Inst. of Electrical Engineers, 1903-1906. 4 v.	621.3

JUVENILLE

Betty Wales Decides.—Warde.	j W21b
Boys' Parkman.	j P973.2
Boy Scouts of Berkshire.—Eaton.	j Ea8
Brave Tom.—Ellis.	j El5b
Buddie at Gray Buttes Camp.—Ray.	j R21g
Bunny Book.—Macgregor.	j Mo17
Bunnikins—Bunny in Camp.—Davidson.	j Da28c
Bunnikins—Bunny in Europe.—Davidson.	j Da28e
Bunnikins—Bunny and the Moon-king.—Davidson.	j Da28m
Camp as Seaduck Cove.—Clark.	j C34
Cat of Bubastes.—Henty.	j H39c

Charming Stories About Children.—Dickens.	j D55
Cruise with Paul Jones.—Otis.	j Ot4j
How a Dear Little Couple Went Abroad.—Brine.	j B77
Jackanapes.—Ewing.	j Ew5j
Japanese Twins.—Perkins.	j P41j
Johnny Blossom; tram.—Poulsson.	j P86
Just a Little Boy.—Ashworth.	j As3
Mary Ware's Promised Land.—Johnson.	j J64p
Mr. Woodchuck.—Bancroft.	j Ba22
Nancy Lee.—Warde.	j W21l
Ned Brewster's Year in the Big Woods.—Hawkins.	j H31
Old Four-toes, or Hunters of the Peaks.—Sabin.	j Sa1o
Patty's Friends.—Wells.	j We46f
Patty's Pleasure Trip.—Wells.	j We46t
Pluck on the Long Trail.—Sabin.	j Sa1p
Prisoner in Buff.—Tomlinson.	j T59p
Sparkling Tales.	j Sp2
Story of Betty—Wells.	j We46b
Stories for Little Men.	j St7
White Mustang.—Ellis.	j El5
White Patch, The; tram.—Patri.	j P27
With Flintlock and Fife.—Tomlinson.	j T59f
With Warren at Bunker Hill.—Otis.	j Ot4w
Young Honesty, Politician.—Barker.	j B24
Young Minute Man of 1812.—Tomlinson.	j T59mi
Young Skippers of the Great Lakes.—Weir.	j W43

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year ending February 15, 1913

RECEIPTS

Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1912,	$292 45
Cash received from W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	3,011 36
Cash received from literary fund,	94 52
Cash received, proportion school fund,	109 50
Cash received, balance Wells fund for schools,	15 40
Cash received, dog tax, 1912,	54 40
Cash received, Warren fund,	185 76
	$3,763 39

EXPENDITURES

Amount of orders issued by school board,	$3,352 86
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1913,	440 53
	$3,763 39

F. J. MARVIN,
Treasurer Alstead School District.

Alstead, N. H., Feb., 20, 1913.

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I have examined the books of the treasurer of the school district of Alstead and find the same correctly cast and balanced with proper vouchers therefor.

C. J. NEWELL,
Auditor of School District.

ORDERS ISSUED BY SCHOOL BOARD

Isaac Craig, services truant officer,	$4 50
Isaac Craig, wood,	23 95
Charles L. Linsley, material and labor,	3 00

Mrs. H. E. Thorne, cleaning rooms,	3 00
Robert Blake, mileage,	3 50
Lillian L. Wilder, transportation,	1 00
Warren Demerse, kindling wood,	2 00
Kendall Austin, work,	1 00
Warren Demerse, janitor work,	3 00
Vera M. Butler, teaching 11 weeks,	122 50
Ada Messer, teaching 11 weeks,	89 50
Bertha Britton, transportation,	43 00
Mrs. Elmer Rhodes, transportation,	52 00
Kendall Austin, work,	1 00
J. H. Riordan, repairs and work,	13 00
George A. Messer, repairing clock,	60
Lillian L. Wilder, transportation,	42 00
Doris E. Cantlin, teaching No. 12,	44 00
Mrs. H. E. Thorne, work,	5 45
Doris E. Cantlin, teaching No. 12,	79 50
Ada M. Messer, teaching 11 weeks,	90 50
Elmer Rhodes, transportation,	42 40
Lillin L. Wilder, transportation,	37 50
Fred Wilson, mileage,	2 68
Ada Messer, teaching,	24 00
Doris E. Cantlin, teaching,	33 00
Lillian Wilder, transportation,	7 50
Doris Cantlin, teaching,	33 00
Myra Whipple, teaching Gladys Whipple,	7 00
R. F. Craig, lumber,	8 88
Doris E. Cantlin, teaching,	33 00
Ada Messer, teaching No. 12,	24 00
Brainard Taylor, kindling and labor,	3 00
W. R. Hale, labor and material,	2 50
Miss B. A. Patnode, teaching No. 6,	36 00
F. A. Wright, wood,	5 50
Grace Fisher, teaching No. 5,	34 00
Grace Fisher, teaching No. 5,	25 50
Charles Friehofer, cleaning out house,	50
Mrs. Bleeker Van Wagenen, cash received to pay Miss Patnode, 4 weeks teaching N. 6,	$36 00
Grace Fisher, teaching No. 5,	25 50
Miss B. A. Patnode, teaching N. 6,	$36 00
Mrs. Hall, mileage,	2 25
Mrs. Ament, mileage,	4 50
Fred Wilson, mileage,	5 00
Harry Page, janitor No. 6,	2 40
Arthur Friehofer, janitor No. 5,	2 00

H. E. Page, wood, No. 6,	10 00
Grace Fisher, school supplies and expenses, of N. H. examinations at Keene,	9 43
Mrs. John Smith, cleaning room, No. 5,	2 00
R. H. Simmons, white-washing out house,	55
Sylvia D. Hitch, expenses,	6 90
Charles Friehofer, getting desks for schools,	2 40
Mrs. Page, cleaning No. 6,	2 00
Hattie E. Straw, teaching No. 6,	48 00
Grace Fisher, teaching No. 5,	44 00
C. H. Simmons, kindling wood,	1 00
Hatch Bros., wood, No. 12,	15 00
Grace Fisher, teaching,	44 00
Hattie Straw, teaching,	48 00
George R. Wales, towels for schools,	5 50
Roy Dewing, janitor and work,	97
Charles Friehofer, work with team,	4 60
Hattie Straw, teaching No. 6,	48 00
Grace Fisher, teaching No. 12,	45 00
H. C. Metcalf, repairs,	7 13
F. C. Hall, mileage,	3 45
Grace Fisher, teaching No. 5,	33 00
Mrs. Ament, mileage,	6 80
Hattie Straw, teaching No. 6,	36 00
Harry Page, janitor No. 6,	3 00
R. H. Simmons, janitor No. 5,	5 50
Charles Friehofer, one trip to and from cooking school,	2 00
Hattie Straw, teaching No. 6,	48 00
Grace Fisher, teaching No. 12,	34 00
Mrs. John Smith, cleaning No. 5,	2 00
Mrs. Page, cleaning No. 5,	2 00
M. A. Currier, transportation, No. 5, to cooking school,	5 00
Hattie Straw, teaching No. 6,	36 00
L. P. Forristall, wood, No. 5,	13 50
H. C. Metcalf, work at No. 6 and No. 4,	4 70
T. H. Moore, supplies,	23 41
Johnson Blagden Co., books,	1 77
Claud Blanchard, janitor,	3 00
Howard Hardware Co., coal,	24 87
Kent & Burroughs, labor,	2 65
F. J. Marvin, supplies,	2 50
F. J. Marvin, cash paid John Blood for labor,	4 25
Fred Prentiss, labor, material, telephoning,	6 30
George P. Kingsbury, labor,	1 00
George L. Plimpton, tuition, Newell and Esterbrook,	26 66

Charles Friehofer, labor,	4 15
Hattie Straw, teaching 6 weeks,	60 00
Hattie Straw, teaching 6 weeks,	60 00
Charlotte Burge, teaching primary,	120 00
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	12 00
Town of Gilsum, tuition,	9 00
American Book Co., books,	9 60
Union school district, tuition,	10 00
Howard Hardware Co., supplies for schools,	3 60
Charles F. Britton, transportation,	5 00
John Croto, mileage,	12 00
Warren Greene, mileage,	9 00
Claud Blanchard, janitor,	5 00
Fred Prentiss, labor, material and telephoning,	7 30
Edgar Jefts, labor,	15 00
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	20 00
Ginn & Co., supplies,	1 33
Jack Phair, painting,	44 34
Frank Kingsbury, painting three school houses,	47 29
Chase Furniture Co., supplies,	14 00
B. A. Patnode, teaching,	40 00
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	20 00
Cota & Frost, supplies,,	18 56
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	20 00
W. H. Spalter, supplies,	121 54
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	20 00
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	20 00
Leon Britton, drawing dirt on Wares,	5 00
B. A. Patnode, teaching,	80 00
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	20 00
Edward E. Babb Co., books,	7 23
E. A. Mitchell, repairing clock,	1 00
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	20 00
B. A. Patnode, teaching,	30 00
Charlotte Burge, teaching,	150 00
George P. Kingsbury, janitor,	11 20
J. H. Dickey, supplies,	3 54
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	20 06
George L. Plimpton, tuition Misses Green and Newell,	53 34
B. A. Patnode, teaching,	30 00
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	10 00
Fred Prentiss, services school director,	34 00
Sylvia D. Hitch, services school director,	33 00
George A. Mayo, services school director,	33 00
Sarah Fish, supplies,	3 43

F. J. Marvin, supplies,	19 73
F. J. Marvin, services school treasurer,	10 00
F. F. Gilman, cleaning out houses,	3 60
Fred Prentiss, mileage,	20 00
Alice Mayo, State report and register work,	6 00
George A. Mayo, work and material,	2 00
Flora M. Thrasher teaching,	20 00
Hatch Bros., wood,	10 00
Harry Page, janitor,	2 00
Grace Fisher, teaching No. 6,	32 00
Grace Fisher, teaching No. 6,	28 00
Total amount of orders issued by School board,	$3,352 86

SCHOOL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 1913

The school year ends with the school houses looking neat and tidy owing to last summer's painting and repairing and the committee feel that the scholars and teachers are also doing pretty well. The Village school under Miss Patenode and Miss Burge, have done good work but they have suffered somewhat from the measles, it having been deemed wise to close the school for two weeks. The Forrestall school is the only one which has finished the 34 weeks and closed, the others all still being in session. Miss Straw, who last year taught the grammar school in the village, has had charge of the Forrestall school during the fall and winter terms, making a great success of it.

Thanks to Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Chase, who have helped with the salary, we have been able to keep Miss Fisher at the Center, while Miss Messer and Miss Cantlin have been at East Alstead. The greatest stride forward has been, we think, in furnishing new books for all the schools, but, since there was no appropriation made for this purpose the bills for these new books are still unpaid. All the schools now have the same books and all those not in use are kept upstairs in the Village school house, to be ready for use when needed. A large bookcase in which to keep them, so that they can be catalogued and easily handled, is sadly needed. One more step forward, of which the committee is proud is the introduction of manual training in the schools. The Center has its cooking and sewing classes. Mrs. Chase, who teaches the cooking, is trying to make the children understand food values and how to have

a "balanced ration" and also how to gain variety. For instance, one lesson was on cooking vegetables, the next how to cook them over, the third how to use them as salads. Mrs. Chase has also laid great stress on the chemical effects of cooking foods; the result of over-cooking and of under-cooking, and what is the proper time. Mr. Wharton has started the "wood work" in the village school, and free hand drawing, which last is to enable a boy to draw a chest with its dimension and then take it to the carpenter shop and make. Also for one hour, once a week, Mr. Wharton has the boys at the Town hall for athletics, and the girls also, another day, have the same. At East Alstead they are learning the freehand drawing and raffia work, and if we can only arouse interest enough to raise some money we hope to get wood tools there. The teachers in all the schools make enthusiastic Manual Training assistants.

The committee begs the co-operation of all the citizens, not only that of the parents, in the school work, for without it little can really be accomplished. The children are the future of the village, and what shall it avail us to have good roads and all good things if when the children grow up, they shall reproach us, saying that when they were young they were not properly taught. Not book-learning alone, but respect for others, pride in their village and a desire to see all things, mental, moral and physical, clean and wholesome without and within.

The teachers are ready to do their part but if the children are not helped to be conscientious in attendance, not even angels could get good results.

This year has seen clean and tidy school houses and new books. Will not all the citizens help us in the coming year to have every child at school, and to provide the necessary interest to keep them there profitably occupied?

FRED PRENTISS, chairman
SYLVIA DELANO HITCH,
GEORGE A. MAYO.

Births Registered in the Town of Alstead, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1912

Date of birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition: Male or Female	Living or Stillborn	No. child 1st, 2d, etc.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Mar 5	Malcolm Burge	M	L	2	Almon B Lufkin	Ada May Nash	Retired	Langdon	Alstead
Mar 14	Craig	M	L	7	Rollin S Craig	Ethel M Howard	Laborer	Andover Vt	Alstead
Mar 16	Doris Mariam	F	L	2	Elmer G Buswell	Ethel Howard	Teamster	Acworth	Marlow
Apr 9	Charles Elbert	M	L	1	George E Porter	Irva May Cater	Farmer	Alstead	Alstead
Ayr 7	Prentiss	M	L	1	John W Prentiss	Minnie B Clark	Farmer	Walpole	Alstead
May 16	Naginewicz	F	L	8	Mike Naginewicz	Kastoncia Kerszewicz	Farmer	Russia	Russia
June 29		F	L	1	Frank Perry	Helen L Kimball	Optician	Bellows Falls Vt	Bethel vt
July 4	Allen	F	L	8	John H Allen	Lena Smith	Farmer	Alstead	P Q Canada
July 14	Smith	F	L	7	John A Smith	Rosie Baine	Farmer	Alstead	Henniker
July 19	Gilberta Belle	F	L	4	Eustice E Whipple	Grace B Joslyn	Farmer	Lebyard Conn	Amherst Mass
Oct 17	Georgianna	F	S	2	Albert Hammell	Georgianna Dagg	Farmer	Canada	Canada
Nov 27	Simmons	F	L	3	C H Simmons	Nora M Steerey	Farmer	P E Island	Bath
Nov 29	Carroll Henry	M	L	3	Henry C Metcalf	Mabel M Hatch	Merchant	East Lempster	Alstead

Marrages Registered in the Town of Alstead, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1912

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Condition §	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married
May 26	Alstead	Fred C King Lelia L Hatch	Springfi'd Mass Alstead	24 21	Engineer	Ludlow Vt Acworth	Fred King George Hatch	Troy N Y Alstead	S S	Rev O Brown Alstead
May 27	Alstead	Harry W Jewett Ona M Balla	Alstead Acworth	22 16	Laborer	Walpole Acworth	Harry Jewett John Balla	Chicago Ill Hungaria	S S	Bayard T Mousley Alstead Justic of Peace
June 8	Royalston Mass	Ernest E Rhoads Edna M Richards	Alstead Royalston Mass	24 20	Farmer	Westminster Vt Boston Mass	Elmer B Rhoads	Windham Vt	S S	Rev Francis J Fairbanks Royalston Mass
Aug 17	Acworth	Louis Machinsky Marguerite Pettie	Alstead Acworth	24 21	Laborer	Russia England	Dominiq Machins'y Chas Pettie	Russia England	S S	Rev Fritz W Baldwin Acworth
Oct 5	Bellows Falls	Lester E Howe Maud D Blanchard	Brattleboro Vt Alstead	22 19	Printer	Seymore Ct Alstead	Henry B Howe Geo Blanchard	Chesterfield Walpole	S S	Rev Clarence L Eaton Bellows Fall Vt
Oct 14	E Jaffrey	Albert Ellis Caarinne Butler	Alstead E Jaffrey	27 24	Blacksmith Music teacher	Springfield Vt E Jaffrey	Chas Ellis Alfred M Butler	Alstead E Jaffrey	S S	Rev H A Her on E Jaffrey
Nov 20	Saxtons River	Alvin A Woodward Olive S Brooks	Alstead Westminst'r Vt	58 34	Nurse Housekeeper	Dorchester Mass Rockingham Vt	Samuel L Woodard Louis M McQuaid	Westmins'r Mass Rockingham Vt	S 2	Rev Daniel McIntyre Westminster Vt
Nov 28	New London Ct	Ernest M Hatch Catherine A Kiley	Alstead New London Ct	24 23	Farmer Nurse Maid	Alstead New London Ct	Edward P Hatch Patrick Kiley		S S	Rev T H Tierman New London Ct

Deaths Registered in the Town of Alstead, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec., 31 1912

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex and Cond'on		Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days		Male or Female	S., M., W. §	Father	Mother		
Feb 2	John Waite		3	16	Alstead	M	S	Russia	Russia	Joe Wait	Marie Schimanoska
Mar 6	Malcolm B Lufkin			1	Alstead	M	S	Langdon	Alstead	Almon B Lufkin	Ada M Nash
Mar 25	Mary Fay	83	8	17	Gilsum	F	W	Gilsum	Gilsum	Nathan Ellis	Lucina Ulis
Apr 8	—— Prentiss			1	Alstead	M	S	Walpole	Alstead	John Willard Prentiss	Minnie B Clark
Apr 20	John D Blanchard	62	8	4		M	S	Acworth	Acworth	Solon Blanchard	Sabra J Thornton
May 26	Chas F Harton	48	7	10	Hinsdale	M	M	Hinsdale	Hinsdale	Hiram B Horton	—— Streeter
June 9	Ernest R Craige		2	25	Alstead	M	S	Andover vt	Alstead	Rollin Craige	Ethel Howard
Aug 17	Alonzo L Timothy	69		25	Westmoreland	M	W				
Sept 21	Francis E Dicky	71	7	4	Landgon	F	W	Langdon	Acworth	John Currier	Emiline Wal'ace
Oct 16	Harlan P March	67	8	27	Alstead	M	S			Daniel March	Mary Colburn
Oct 17	Georgiana Aammell				Alstead	F	S	Canada	Canada	Albert Hammell	Georgianna Dagg
Nov 6	Frank A Kidder	41	10	8	Alstead	M	S	E Alstead	E Alstead	Erastus P Kidder	Martha Richardson
Nov 7	Mary M Richardson	76	5	25	Alstead	F	S	Alstead	Marlow	Wm Richardson	Ruth Hemmenway
Dec 1	Franklin P H Lyman	77		21	Alstead	M	W	Alstead	Alstead	Oliver E Lyman	——Burroughs
Dec 29	Ann L Wilder	74	4	17	Alstead	F		Sharon	Sharon vt	John R Smith	Judith Danforth

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of myknowledge and belief.

HENRY C. METCALF, Town Clerk.

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